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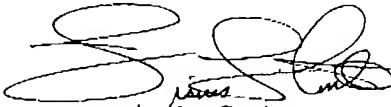
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In response to the 14 April 2004 Forty-Five (45) Day
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Applicant(s) submit the attached Declaration.

Respectfully submitted,

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CONVERGING PIN COOLED AIRFOIL**DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 305(c) OF THE
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 Electric Company, the assignee of the subject invention, using facilities,
 equipment, materials, funds, information and services furnished by the General
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U.S. Government Contract F33615-02-C-2212;

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A license will be granted to the United States Government under the terms
 of the above-identified contract;

That the invention set forth in the above-referenced U.S. Patent
 Application was not made (conceived or first actually reduced to practice)
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